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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I'm a consumer and small business owner who supports broadband competition. The ability to choose a competitive internet provider in my area has led to markedly better customer service and internet speeds. I have fiber today but was previously connected with DSL, and the improvement has been astonishing. I feel strongly that a public utility like internet connection needs to be regulated to allow for competitive local providers it's been a huge help to my small business, and others deserve the same opportunities.

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